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FOR: INHIBITION OF MIGRATION INHIBITORY FACTOR IN THE  
TREATMENT OF DISEASES INVOLVING CYTOKINE-MEDIATED  
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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

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SIR:

Responsive to the outstanding Office Action dated October 6, 2003, entry of the following  
amendments is respectfully requested.

